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## Message

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**Subject:** RE: Draft -- Coastal Academy FY20 Strategic Plan Results

Hello,

Vickie and I spoke and we have the following suggestion : HAVEN Academy did not participate in the strategic plan review for the school year 2019-2020. Also, although Flint was reviewed face-to face they still need to receive a letter in the portal. Is that possible.

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Hi Lakesha,

Can you please suggest what message should we display in the application for the GNETS which are not monitored for the school year 2019-2020. For example, if H.A.V.E.N Academy is not monitored this year, can we show a message saying "H.A.V.E.N Academy is not monitored for the school year 2019-2020". Please suggest the changes.

Thanks,  
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Good Afternoon,

Vickie and I spoke this morning and we would like to make a few changes. I have attached the changes to the wording for the rubric document. We would also like the same wording reflected in the portal ~~Goal 1: By the end of each school year, GNETS Directors will implement the strategic plan focus areas at an operational level.~~

Also, I need to add comments to the two sites that received Emerging Scores-Dekalb and Rutland. Can you please open those two for me and I will make those changes.

Thank you,

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Good morning Vickie. We will wait for further instructions.

Thanks,

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Please hold on this. Thanks

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**Sent:** Wednesday, November 25, 2020 11:14 AM

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Hello,

Yes..please send it out on Monday. Thank you.

On Nov 25, 2020, at 9:57 AM, Udhya Arumugam <[uarumuga@doe.k12.ga.us](mailto:uarumuga@doe.k12.ga.us)> wrote:

Good Morning,

Yes, we could send it out Monday 11/30/20, After 5 PM. Please let us know.

Thanks,

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Hello,

Everything looks good. Will it be ready to go on Monday or Tuesday of next week?

On Nov 24, 2020, at 3:08 PM, Mourya Lanka <[MLanka@doe.k12.ga.us](mailto:MLanka@doe.k12.ga.us)> wrote:

Hi Lakesha and Vickie,

Attached documents are the sample version of letter and rubric with the changes suggested for FY20 and below is the email content after the changes suggested. Please review and let us know if they are good.

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Dear Lisa Futch,

GNETS directors and their leadership teams are charged with implementing the components of the GNETS strategic plan. GaDOE developed and provided a rubric and guidance to assess how well each component of the plan was implemented in FY20. Each GNETS' leadership team rates the components of the plan twice a year using ratings of operational, emerging or not evident. At the end of the school year, the teams completed their final ratings and prepared for a virtual review from the GNETS state program manager and program specialist.

The goal of the review process was to determine how well each team implemented the strategic plan components with fidelity. If the evidence presented clearly supported the implementation of the components, an operational rating was assigned. If the evidence did not clearly support implementation of the components, ratings were assigned to more accurately reflect the level of implementation. If you have additional questions regarding this process, please contact Vickie Cleveland at 470-316-8664.

Sincerely,  
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